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APPLICANTS: KARLHEINZ BING ET AL. - 3
SERIAL NO.: 10/734,806 EXAMINER: S. AFZALI
FILED: DECEMBER 12, 2003 GROUP: 3611
TITLE: METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF A FORGED PISTON FOR
AN INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINE

PETITION UNDER RULE 136(a) AND RULE 17(a)(1)

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Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated March 16, 2006 for one month from June 16, 2006 to July 16, 2006. A check in the amount of \$120.00, covering the fee for a one-month extension for a Large Entity is enclosed herewith. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to deposit Account No. 03-

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